- 266. Annual reports shall be made and filed with the Governor and members of the General Assembly, including suggestions and recommendations for the improvement and advancement of the economic welfare of the people of the State.
- 3. And be it further enacted, That the initial General Fund appropriation for the Department of Economic Development shall not exceed the sum of \$150,000.00 \$175,000.00, INCLUDING SUCH FUNDS AS MAY BE APPROPRIATED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION.
- SEC. 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, THAT AS OF JULY 1, 1959, ALL PERSONAL PROPERTY, OFFICE FURNITURE AND FIXTURES AND ALL APPROPRIATIONS AND CREDITS ON THE BOOKS AND ACCOUNTS OF THIS STATE IN THE POSSESSION OF OR CREDITED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SHALL BE TRANSFERRED TO AND PLACED IN THE CUSTODY AND USE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT HEREIN CREATED. IN ADDITION, ALL REFERENCES IN THE LAWS, ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS AND REGULATIONS OF EVERY DEPARTMENT AND AGENCY OF THIS STATE AND OF ITS POLITICAL SUB-DIVISIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SHALL THENCEFORTH BE TAKEN AND CONSTRUED TO BE REFERENCES TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT HEREIN CREATED.
- SEC. 45. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1. 1959.

Approved March 11, 1959.

## CHAPTER 186

## (House Bill 133)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 708 (u) of Article 66C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Natural Resources", sub-title "Oysters and Clams", relating to the taking of oysters on privately leased grounds by non-residents in Somerset County, WITH PARTICULAR REFERENCE TO THAT WATER AREA IN SOMERSET COUNTY ONLY IN POCOMOKE SOUND AND POCOMOKE RIVER ONLY EAST OF TULL'S POINT AND MARUMSCO NATURAL OYSTER BAR EASTWARD TO WILLIAMS' POINT, and relating generally to oysters therein.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 708 (u) of Article 66C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Natural Resources", sub-title "Oysters

EXPLANATION: Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

Strike out indicates matter stricken out of bill.